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SUBJECT:MBFR: WORKING GROUP STUDY OF SUBCEILING ARRANGE-  
.....MENTS AND FLEXIBILITY

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1. REVISED TEXT, REFTEL, IS AN IMPROVEMENT OVER PREVIOUS  
DRAFT.

2. IN NUMEROUS PLACES THROUGHOUT THE DRAFT TEXT THE  
FLEXIBILITY ALLOWANCE IS REFERRED TO AS "THE FREEDOM TO  
TRANSFER PERSONNEL BETWEEN GROUND AND AIR FORCES." FOR  
PURPOSE OF CLARITY, WE RECOMMEND THAT THE FLEXIBILITY  
ALLOWANCE BE REFERRED TO AS "THE FREEDOM TO TRANSFER  
PERSONNEL FROM AIR FORCES INTO GROUND FORCES." CURRENT  
ALLIANCE POSITION DOES NOT CALL FOR LIMITATIONS ON PERSONNEL  
TRANSFERS FROM GROUND TO AIR FORCES OTHER THAN THOSE  
IMPOSED UNDER THE COMBINED COLLECTIVE CEILING. KISSINGER

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